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[GREAT-ITN](#) (Inicio Marzo 2011 + 4 años)

**Gaia Research for European Astronomy Training**

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[GREAT-ITN Goal](#): To shape a critical mass of new expertise with the fundamental skills required to power the scientific exploitation of Gaia over the coming decade and beyond.

[The GREAT-ITN will deliver](#) a training programme structured around these research themes to a core of new researchers, equipping them with the skills and expertise to become future leaders in astronomy or enter industry.

[WP3: Origen and history of the Milky Way](#)

[WP4: The stellar constituents of the Milky Way](#)


[WP5: Planetary Systems: words near and far](#)

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# GREAT- ITN Consortium



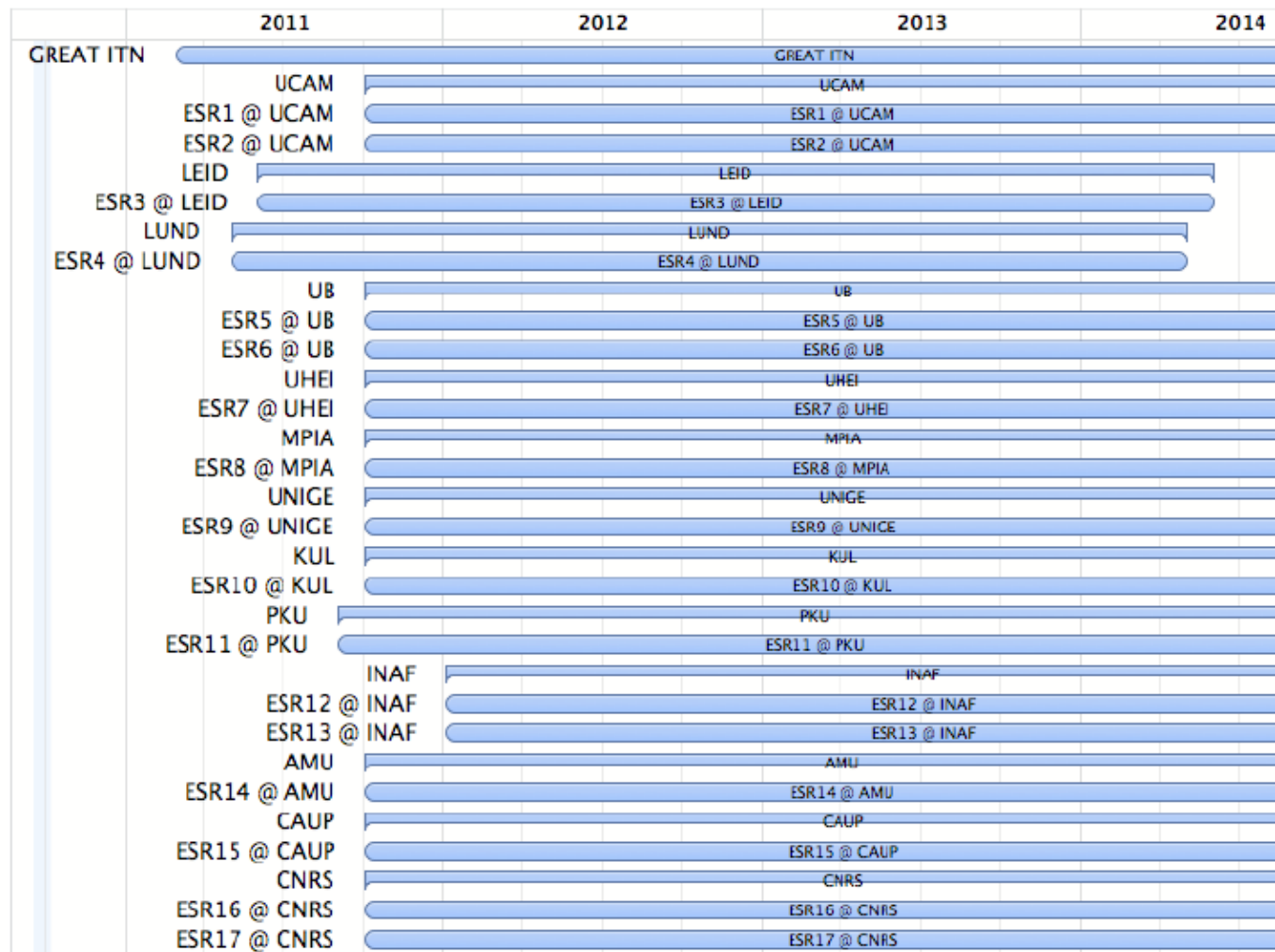
Red = full nodes (13) , blue = associate nodes (19) green = industrial partner (+1)

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3	LUND	Lund Observatory	S	Sofia Feltzing
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		OATo: Torino	I	Mario Lattanzi
		OACN: Naples	I	Marcella Marconi
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15	INSY	Intersystems	E	José Rupérez
16	TSL	The server labs	E	Paul Parsons
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23	IAC	<a href="#">E</a> Instituto de Astrofísica de Canarias – Universidad de la Laguna	E	Francisco Garzón
24	DRES	Dresden Technical University	D	Sergei Klioner
25	NAOC	National Astronomical Observatories, Chinese Academy of Sciences	CN	Gang Zhou
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28	UNIPD	University of Padua	I	Giampaolo Piotto
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31	OPM	Observatoire de Paris-Meudon	F	Carine Babusiaux
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# Inicio proyecto: Marzo 2011 ( 4 años)

Task	Start
• 1) GREAT ITN	01/03/2011
• 2) UCAM	03/10/2011
• 2.1) ESR1 @ UCAM	03/10/2011
• 2.2) ESR2 @ UCAM	03/10/2011
• 3) LEID	01/06/2011
• 3.1) ESR3 @ LEID	01/06/2011
• 4) LUND	02/05/2011
• 4.1) ESR4 @ LUND	02/05/2011
• 5) UB	03/10/2011
• 5.1) ESR5 @ UB	03/10/2011
• 5.2) ESR6 @ UB	03/10/2011
• 6) UHEI	03/10/2011
• 6.1) ESR7 @ UHEI	03/10/2011
• 7) MPIA	03/10/2011
• 7.1) ESR8 @ MPIA	03/10/2011
• 8) UNIGE	03/10/2011
• 8.1) ESR9 @ UNIGE	03/10/2011
• 9) KUL	03/10/2011
• 9.1) ESR10 @ KUL	03/10/2011
• 10) PKU	01/09/2011
• 10.1) ESR11 @ PKU	01/09/2011
• 11) INAF	03/01/2012
• 11.1) ESR12 @ INAF	03/01/2012
• 11.2) ESR13 @ INAF	03/01/2012
• 12) AMU	03/10/2011
• 12.1) ESR14 @ AMU	03/10/2011
• 13) CAUP	03/10/2011
• 13.1) ESR15 @ CAUP	03/10/2011
• 14) CNRS	03/10/2011
• 14.1) ESR16 @ CNRS	03/10/2011
• 14.2) ESR17 @ CNRS	03/10/2011



# 17 becas pre-doctorales

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# Participación española (I)

**Table 1.3.1: Summary of cross node ESR secondments**

<b>WP</b>	<b>WP Task</b>	<b>Host Partner</b>	<b>ESR</b>	<b>Secondment to Partner</b>	<b>Training Activity During Visit</b>	<b>Time (mn)</b>	
<b>3</b>	<b>3-A</b>	<b>UCAM</b>	1	MSR	Visualisation/ analysis of panoramic data	3	
				EDIN	IR-survey data of the low latitude Milky Way	3	
				INSY	Rapid galaxy stream discovery via advanced database data access	-	
			<b>UHEI</b>	7	RUG	Observational wide field spectroscopy	6
			<b>PKU</b>	11	UCAM	Cross matching associated spectroscopic surveys, visualisation techniques	6
		<b>3-B</b>	<b>MPIA</b>	8	PKU	Modelling of the Milky Way	6
			<b>INAF OAPd</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>IAA</b>	<b>New statistical tools for cluster membership determination and spatial pattern description</b>	<b>3</b>
					<b>UB</b>	<b>Eclipsing binary stars in OCs and effects of rotational velocities on luminosities and ages</b>	<b>3</b>
					CNRS	Analysis of abundance scales in relation with	3

## Participación española (II)

**Table 1.3.1: Summary of cross node ESR secondments**

	3-C	CNRS Besancon	16	OPM	Integration of photometric survey data with galaxy model	6
		UB	5	MSSL	Chemo-dynamical modelling with GCD+	6
				IAC	Galactic dynamics modelling	4
4	4-A	LEID	3	LUND	Coupling the star cluster migration and dissolution to abundance pattern studies	6
				UB	Origin of the structure of phase space of the disk in the solar neighbourhood	4
				TSL	Running a cluster simulation on the 'cloud'	-
		LUND	4	CNRS (Bordeaux)	Chemical tagging and internal abundance spreads in clusters	6
				MSR	Visualisation of disk chemistry	3
		CNRS Bordeaux	17	INAF	Analysis of high resolution spectra of cluster stars	3
				UPPS	Determination of the best parameters for benchmark and reference stars	3
				OCA	Automation of determination of stellar parameters from analysis of spectra	3



# Participación española (III)

**Table 1.3.1: Summary of cross node ESR secondments**

<b>5</b>	5-A	CAUP	15	INAF	Work on orbital fitting procedures	6
				INSY	Databasing stellar properties/ correlation with planet systems	3
<b>6</b>	5-B	AMU	14	LEID	Linkage of asteroid properties to our Sun's birth cluster	3
				OCA	Asteroid dynamical modelling	3
	6-A	INAF OAB	13	UB	Deep study of consistency between the potential Gaia distance scale indicators	4
				UCAM	Use and interpretation of Gaia astrometric and photometric data, with specific application to star clusters and associations	4
				UB	6	OPM
				INAF	Calibration of extragalactic distance scale and the statistical analysis of Gaia data in terms of calibration of distance indicators	4

# Main Network Training Events

## Participación española (III)

17	WP3: Progress workshop: networking for the new ESRs	Groningen, NL
17	WP4: Progress workshop: networking for the new ESRs	Lund, S
18	WP5: Progress workshop: networking for the new ESRs	Poznan, PL
18	WP6: Progress workshop: networking for the new ESRs	Cambridge, UK
20	<b>WP2: School: Modelling the Milky Way</b>	Besancon, F
24	<b>Workshop: AstroStatistics on Massive Data Sets</b>	<b>&lt;ESA&gt;, Madrid, E</b>
Year 3: 25	GREAT-ITN: mid term review and full network meeting (FM2)	Bordeaux, F
26	Workshop: Distributed Computing in the Cloud	<ESA/ServerLabs>, Madrid E
30	WP2: OUTREACH Event: Gaia for Kids	<ESA>, Noordwijk, NL
31	Workshop: The world of Open Clusters: New Insights	Bologna, I
36	<b>WP2: School: The inner Galaxy:stellar composition &amp; dynamics</b>	<b>Tenerife, E</b>
Year 4: 37	WP3: Update workshop: mid term update for the ESRs	Beijing, CN
37	WP4: Update workshop: mid term update for the ESRs	Geneva, CH
38	WP5: Update workshop: mid term update for the ESRs	Torino, I
38	WP6: Update workshop: mid term update for the ESRs	Padua, I
39	Year 4 and final full network meeting (FM3)	Leiden, NL
45	<b>The Milky Way Unravalled by GREAT: an international conference</b>	<b>Barcelona, E</b>

## **GREAT ITN Network and related meetings**

### **Meetings in 2011:**

1. [GREAT ITN Kick Off meeting](#): 13-14 April 2011 at the Institute of Astronomy, University of Cambridge, UK
2. [Planetary Systems with Gaia: Near and Far](#): GREAT-ITN WP5 Kick-Off, 24-25 November 2011, Porto, P

### **Meetings in 2012:**

1. [ESR Induction: Introduction to the Science of Gaia](#): 23-27 January 2012 at the Lorentz Centre, University of Leiden, NL
2. [ESR Induction: Managing Complex Systems](#): 30 January - 3 February 2012 at the Lorentz Centre, University of Leiden, NL

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